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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of: |) | | |
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| Heinz PAULY et al. |) Group Art Unit: 2162 | | |
| Application No.: 09/937,707 | Examiner: Jean M. Corrielus | | |
| Filed: October 1, 2001 |) Confirmation No.: 7021 | | |
| For: METHOD FOR DATA MAINTENANCE IN A NETWORK OF PARTIALLY REPLICATED DATABASE SYSTEMS |)))) | | |
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| NOTICE OF APPEAL | | | |

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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated May 28, 2004 of the Examiner.

The items checked below are appropriate:

- 1. A Petition for extension of time to respond to the final rejection was filed on [Date] extending the period for response to [Date].
- 2. A Petition for extension of time to further extend the period for response to November 28, 2004, is enclosed together with a fee of \$980.00.

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| 3. | \boxtimes | The Appeal Fee of \$340.00 (or \$170.00 if by small entity) | |
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| | | is enclosed or | ☑ is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0916 |
| 4. | 4. A check for \$1,320.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed. | | |
| | Pleas | se grant any extensio | ns of time required to enter this response and charge |
| any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916. | | | |
| | | | Respectfully submitted, |
| | | | FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW, GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P. |
| Date | d: Nov€ | ember 24, 2004 | By: No. 26,013 Linda J. Thayer Reg. No. 45,681 |
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